

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend paragraph [0001] as follows:

This is a continuation ~~application~~ of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/653,100, filed on Aug. 31, 2000, now Pat. No. 6,760,746, which claims the benefit of the following patent applications, which are hereby incorporated by reference: and is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. application Ser. No. 09/650,827, filed on Aug. 30, 2000, now Pat. No. 6,901,436, and is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/644,587, filed on Aug. 23, 2000, now Pat. No. 6,973,505, and is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent application Ser. No. 09/643,584 filed Aug. 22, 2000, U.S. patent application No. 09/598,134, filed on Jun. 21, 2000, now Pat. No. 6,895,430, and is a Continuation in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/532,500, filed on Mar. 21, 2000, now Pat. No. 7,136,932; said application No. 09/653,100 is a Continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/525,350, filed on Mar. 15, 2000, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,338,082, U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/175,825 filed Jan. 13, 2000; and is a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/440,606, filed on Nov. 15, 1999, now U.S. Pat. No. 6,442,549, said application No. 09/653,100 claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/175,825, filed Jan. 13, 2000, now abandoned, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/160,125, filed Oct. 18, 1999, now abandoned, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/157,075, filed Oct. 1, 1999, now abandoned, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/153,594, filed Sep. 13, 1999, now abandoned, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/153,336, filed Sep. 10, 1999, now abandoned, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/152,015, filed Sep. 1, 1999, now abandoned. The above identified applications are hereby incorporated by reference.